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SUBJECT: CSCE: WARSAW PACT REPS MEET IN SOFIA

1. BULGARIAN PRESS REPORTED JULY 23 THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF THE USSR, GDR, POLAND, HUNGARY, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ROMANIA, AND BULGARIA MET IN SOFIA JULY 21-22 QUOTE TO EXCHANGE OPINIONS ON SOME CURRENT QUESTIONS OF SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN LIGHT OF THE RESULTS OF CSCE. UNQUOTE.

2. ALL COUNTRIES EXCEPT ROMANIA ARE REPRESENTED BY DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS, INCLUDING HERBERT KROLIKOVSKI (GDR), EUGENIUCZ KULAGA (POLAND), ANTOLY KOVALIOV (USSR), ISHTVAN ROSKA (HUNGARY), FRANTICEK KRAICHIR (CZECHOSLOVAKIA), AND BORIS TSVETKOV (BULGARIA). ROMANIA IS REPRESENTED BY AMBASSADOR FOR SPECIAL MISSIONS VALENTIN LIPATI.

3. COMMENT: EASTERN EUROPEAN EMBOFFS AT POLISH NATIONAL DAY RECEPTION JULY 22 WOULD COMMENT ONLY THAT MEETING WAS RELATED TO BELGRADE 1977. INTERESTING, AND PROBABLY NOT COINCIDENTAL, A SENIOR PROTOCOL OFFICIAL EARLIER THIS WEEK PUMPED DCM FOR SOME TWENTY MINUTES ABOUT HOW USG SAW BELGRADE 1977 DEVELOPING. MUCH EMPHASIS WAS PLACED ON HOPE CONFERENCE WOULD NOT BECOME MUTUAL SLANGING MATCH, QUOTE WHICH WOULD PLEASE ONLY THE MAOISTS AND THE ARCH-REACTIONARIES. UNQUOTE.
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